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troduce simultaneously, "Leary's" and Beebe &

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dec 23-tf

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of the same.

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professional services to the citizens of Wash-

ington, D. C. He may be found at Dr. F. How-

ard's, N. E. corner of F and 11th sts. Dec 2-

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march 12-tf

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10th streets. Blinds of all sizes and colors, fur-

nished to order. Old blinds retimmed and painted.

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Gums and Mouth, with the greatest care and

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Dealer in Tobacco, Snuff & Cigars, Pennsylvania

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april 22.

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april 22-tf

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T. PURSELL, Importer and Dealer in E. Ware,

China and Glass, wholesale and retail, at

his store, opposite Brown's Hotel, Pennsylvania

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A large supply of best Swedish Leeches,

already on hand, to be applied or for sale, by

SAML. DEVAUGHN, 9th street.

Who also has ICE for sale whenever called for,

as above. april 2-tf

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opposite Brown's Hotel, Pennsylvania

Avenue, has received his fall stock of Boots and

Shoes suitable for plantation use, he invites the at-

tention of those who wish such articles, and prom-

ises them good bargains.

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DEALER IN LUMBER, WOOD, COAL, LIME

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Corner of 6th st. and Missouri Avenue.

Nov. 4

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GOODS, CARPETINGS, OIL CLOTHS,

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applying to the head, face, or limbs; gout, tic-dole-

reux, toothache, bronchitis, vertigo, nervous or sick

headache, indigestion, paralysis, palsy, epilepsy, fits,

cramp, palpitation of the heart, apoplexy, stiffness of

the joints, spinal complaints, lumbago, neuralgia,

nervous tremors, dizziness of the head, pains in the

chest and side, general debility, deficiency of ner-

vous and physical energy, and all nervous disorders.

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nervous derangement of the digestive organs, they

have been found equally successful. Their ex-

traordinary effects upon the system must be witnessed

to be believed, and as a certain preventive for the

preceding complaints they are equally recommended.

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be worn by the most delicate female without the

slightest inconvenience. In fact, the sensation is ra-

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almost uniform success as a preventive for apoplexy,

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